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In witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand and seal this 29th day of May, A. D. 1871.

HENRY S. MASON.
Acting Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

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Notice.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO THE undersigned will please settle their accounts immediately. All accounts not settled by Saturday next, will be placed in the hands of my Solicitor, Mr. Courtney for collection.

All persons having bills against me will hand them in for payment.

N. MURRAY.
Victoria, B. C., 10th April, 1871 ap12

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R. GRAHAM ALSTON,
Registrar General
Land Registry Office, 26 April. ap27 1m

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A. C. ELLIOTT,
Registrar.
Victoria, 17th May, 1871. my18

Notice.

NOTICE—ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of James Murray Yale, lately deceased, are requested to send them to Messrs. Drake & Co., Victoria.

W. F. TOLMIE, Executor.
Victoria, 12th May, 1871. my13

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Superior Havana Cigars and Tobacco, Apples by the Box.

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To our Readers.

Any neglect on the part of our Carriers to deliver the STANDARD at the proper time and place will be promptly remedied on application at the Publication Office, next door to the Bank of British Columbia, Government Street.

The Daily Standard.

Thursday, June 29, 1871.

Government Gazette Extraordinary—Union Proclamations, &c.

Yesterday a *Government Gazette Extraordinary* appeared, containing ten pages of closely printed matter, and about the same number of documents of one kind or another. The first is a dispatch from Lord Kimberly to Governor Musgrave, which gives the reason why the 50-cent telegraph whisky duty will not be taken off at present. Here it is:

"DOWNING STREET, May 25, 1871.

SIR,—I have to acknowledge the receipt of your Dispatch, No 12, dated the 16th February, enclosing copies of correspondence between yourself and the Governor General of Canada, respecting an alteration proposed by your Council in the Customs Tariff of British Columbia. I have also received your further Despatch, No. 21, of the 9th March, enclosing a copy of the Act No. 9 of 1871 "to repeal the Customs Amendment Ordinance of 1870. Copies of the correspondence which has passed on the subject have also been forwarded to me by Lord Lisgar.

I much regret that I have been unable to advise Her Majesty to assent to this Act, which is itself quite unobjectionable, *but as the proposed reduction of duty was not provided for in the Addresses for the Union of British Columbia with the Dominion of Canada it appeared to me that it was not competent for Her Majesty*, under the powers vested in Her by the British North America Act of 1867, *to provide for such reduction* in the Order in Council uniting those Colonies.

I have transmitted to Lord Lisgar a copy of this Despatch. I have, &c.

(Signed) KIMBERLEY."

So that settles the question of the whisky duty till the next session of the Dominion Parliament.

Next is the following Acts of the last session of the Legislature that have received the Royal assent, viz:—

"An Act to amend the Law as to the Qualification of Electors, and of Elective Members for the Legislature, and to provide for the Registration of Persons entitled to Vote at Elections of such Members.

An Act to regulate Elections of Members of the Legislature of this Colony.

An Act to prevent Bribery, Treating, and undue influence at Elections of Members of the Legislature.

An Act to provide for a permanent Civil List.

An Act to prevent Desertion from Merchant Ships.

An Act to make provision for enquiring into Controverted Elections and Disputed Returns of Members to serve in the Legislature.

An Act to exempt (in certain cases) Cattle farmed on Shares, and their increase, from the operation of any Bankruptcy or Insolvency Laws."

The names of the above Acts indicate the objects for which they were passed, and the assent to them appears in the usual way, except with respect to the "Civil List Act." In order to make the assent to that Act doubly impressive, a dispatch on the subject from Earl Kimberly is published; but it in no way prevents the representatives of the people hereafter from demanding its repeal. Here is the dispatch:

"DOWNING STREET, May 20, 1871.

SIR,—I have received and have had under my consideration the Act passed by the Legislature of British Columbia, entitled No. 16 of 1871 "An Act to provide for a permanent Civil List," which was transmitted to me in your Despatch No. 39, of the 31st of the 31st of March last. I have reported to Her Majesty in Council my opinion that the said Act should be specially confirmed; and I have the honour to transmit to you herewith an Order of Her Majesty in Council, dated the 16th of May, approving that Report. I have, &c.

(Signed) KIMBERLEY."

Here also is the annexed Order in Council confirming the assent:

"AT THE COURT AT WINDSOR, THE 16TH DAY OF MAY, 1871.

Present—The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, His Royal Highness Prince Arthur, Lord Privy Seal, Lord Chamberlain, Earl Cowper, Mr. Secretary Cardwell, Earl of Kimberley, Mr. Ayrton.

Whereas the Legislature of Her Majesty's Colony of British Columbia, with the Council and Assembly, did in the Month of March, 1871, pass an Act which has been transmitted, entitled as follows, viz.:

"No. 16. An Act to provide for a permanent Civil List:"

And whereas the said Act has been laid before Her Majesty in Council, together with a letter to the Lord President of the Council from the Right Honourable the Earl of Kimberley, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, recommending that the said Act should receive Her Majesty's special confirmation; Her Majesty was thereupon this day pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare Her special confirmation of the said Act, and the same is hereby specially confirmed, ratified, and finally enacted accordingly; whereof the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or Commander in Chief, for the time being, of Her Majesty's Colony of British Columbia, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

(Signed) ARTHUR HELPS."

Next there is a despatch from Earl Kimberley announcing the assent of Her Majesty to "The Constitution Act, 1871." In accordance with that Act, Governor Musgrave proclaims as follows:

"And whereas Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to give Her assent to the said Act:

And whereas I, the said Anthony Musgrave, as such Governor as aforesaid, have fixed the 19th day of July next to be the date when the said Act shall come into operation and take effect:

Now, therefore, know ye that I, Anthony Musgrave, Governor of the Colony of British Columbia, do hereby proclaim the assent of Her Majesty to "The Constitution Act, 1871," and I do hereby proclaim and declare that the said Act shall take effect and come into operation in the said Colony of British Columbia, on, from, and after the 19th day of July, in the present year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one."

Our new Constitution will consequently go into operation the day before our union with Canada, and so we will enter the Dominion as a real representative Government, and not as a Crown Colony, with a six-by-nine constitution.

The important and long expected Union Proclamation is the last. That event will take place on July 20th, which, by the Governor's order, will be kept as a public holiday. The only important part of the Order in Council is as follows:

"And whereas Her Majesty has thought fit to approve of the said terms and conditions. It is hereby ordered and declared by Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in Her Majesty by the said Act of Parliament, that from and after the twentieth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, the said Colony of British Columbia shall be admitted into and become part of the Dominion of Canada, upon the terms and conditions set forth in the hereinbefore recited Addresses. And, in accordance with the terms of the said Addresses relating to the electoral districts in British Columbia, for which the first election of members to serve in the House of Commons of the said Dominion shall take place, it is hereby further ordered and declared that such electoral districts shall be as follows:"

The electoral districts are those of the House of Commons. The Order in Council is, however, preceded by the following despatch from Earl Kimberley on the subject of Union:

"DOWNING STREET, 27th May, 1871.

SIR,—With reference to my Despatch No. 19, of the 11th of March, I have the honor to transmit to you an order of Her Majesty in Council, dated the 16th May, for uniting British Columbia to the Dominion of Canada, in accordance with the Addresses passed by th Legislatures of the two Colonies.

I caused the 20th of July to be fixed as the date of this Union, the day agreed upon between Lord Lisgar and yourself.

It gives me much satisfaction to express to you on this occasion how fully sensible Her Majesty's Government are of the energy, zeal, and ability with which you and the Officers of your Government have labored to effect this Union, which it is confidently anticipated will confer important and lasting benefits upon British Columbia, and by the consolidation of Her Majesty's Possessions in North America will greatly promote their progress in the career of prosperity to which they seem destined by their natural resources.

I have &c.,

(Signed) KIMBERLEY.

GOVERNOR MUSGRAVE,"

The gracious compliment that is paid to the officials for their "energy and zeal" in promoting Union with Canada can only be regarded here as a capital joke. But we presume that since Mr. Trutch boasted at Ottawa of his very consistent and energetic efforts to secure its accomplishment, we may excuse Earl Kimberley for the high encomium that he has passed "on the Officers of your Government."

New Advertisements

Wanted a Partner

TO OPEN A FIRST CLASS HOTEL—To A good business man this will be found an excellent opportunity of entering into a good business with a very small outlay.

Address, "S. N."
je29 STANDARD OFFICE.

For Sale.

THAT WELL SITUATED BUSINESS Property known as the Bee Hive, having a frontage of about 51 feet 6 inches on Broad street, by 75 feet on Fort street, comprising a two story frame house and two one-story brick stores, with the lots on which they stand, now occupied by J. Weller at a rental of $30 per month. This property offers a fine opportunity to parties seeking an investment. Apply to

L. LOWENBERG,
je29 Real Estate Agent, Government street.

North Pacific Railroad Bonds.

HOLDERS OF NORTHERN PACIFIC Railroad Bonds in British Columbia are hereby notified that the Coupons for semi-annual interest due July 1st, will be Cashed at par in gold coin at the Office of Wells Fargo & Co in this city.

F. GARESCHE, Agent.
Victoria, June 28, 1871. je29 1w

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN

Has received instructions from

His Excellency Governor Musgrave,

To dispose of at Public Auction, on

Tuesday, July 18th,

HORSES, CARRIAGES,
WAGON, HARNESS,
SADDLERY,
STABLE FURNITURE,
CHINA & GLASSWARE,
WINES of Superior Quality.
Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc

Particulars of Sale will be hereafter announced.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN,
je28 Auctioneer.

New Advertisements.

REAL ESTATE SALE.

J. P. Davies & Co.,

WILL SELL BY AUCTION

At Salesroom, Wharf Street

Tuesday, July 11th,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

First Class Valuable City Property.

Particulars on Friday morning je29

THEATRE ROYAL.

BARKER'S GREAT PANORAMA

OF THE

FOUR RIVERS OF THE WEST

Will be exhibited for the FIRST TIME on

Matinee.

Friday afternoon at 3:30, doors Open at 3 o'clock.

HIS PANORAMA COMPRISES VIEWS OF
BRITISH COLUMBIA,
CALIFORNIA,
OREGON &
ALASKAN SCENERY.

The Artist has carefully Sketched the leading characteristics of the localities represented, and trusts that the visitor will find in the Panorama much that will prove interesting and profitable.
Admission 50 and 25 cents, je29

To the Electors of the Electoral District of Yale-Lytton.

GENTLEMEN:—In reply to your request, I have much pleasure in coming forward as a Candidate to represent you in the next new Legislative Assembly, and to make short work of it, my political views are:

Canadian Tariff, Repeal of Civil List Act, Repeal or Radical Amendment of Registration Act, Liberal School System on a non-sectarian principle; the construction of Roads, Bridges and Trails, in the different districts both mineral and agricultural. And to faithfully attend to the best interests of my constituents and promote the general welfare.

I am gentlemen, yours faithfully

ROBT. SMITH,
Lytton, B. C., June 22, 1871. je29 daw of Lytton.

Lecture.

BARNEY O'HAGAN (T. G. MURPHY) will deliver a lecture on "IRISH WIT & HUMOR," At the Alhambra Hall, Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock.

The Lecturer will conclude the entertainment by reciting Shemus O'Brien.

Admission—Front Seats 50 cents, and to other parts of the house 25 cents. Doors open at 8 o'clock, Lecture to commence at 8:30 o'clock. je27

Mechanics' Institute Raffle.

THE COMMITTEE HAVE DECIDED to raffle the Handsome Tricord Grand Piano, belonging to the Institute.

200 Chances at $2 50 each.

The piano is by Collard & Collard of London, and is believed to be the finest toned instrument ever imported to the Colony.

Tickets may be had of Mr. T. N. Hibben & Co., of the Librarian, or of any member of the Committee. je27

To be Let Furnished.

A 6-ROOMED HOUSE ON PANDORA Street. Apply to

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To Let

A PARLOR AND ONE OR TWO BED-Rooms Furnished, near Beacon Hill.

Apply to "A. B." at the
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CORDWOOD & BARK.

THE UNDERSIGNED IS PREPARED to deliver

Pine & Oak Cordwood & BARK,

At the LOWEST PRICE.

Orders left at the STANDARD Office will be promptly attended to.

A. PEATT,
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For Sale.

THAT EXCELLENT AND COMMODIOUS two story Dwelling House situated on Bird Cage Walk, James Bay, with good well of water, Stable, coach house and convenient offices. The property is freehold, having a frontage of 80 feet on Bird Cage Walk with a depth of 110 feet. Formerly in the occupation of Captain James Cooper. For particulars apply to

ROBERT BURNABY,
je26 Land Agent, Government street.

NOTICE.

ODD FELLOW'S HALL.

THE MERCHANTS EXCHANGE,

Beneath the above hall will re-open on

DOMINION DAY, JULY 1,

when the undersigned will be glad to see all old friends to try his new drink

"CONFEDERATION."

H. FORMAN,
je26 Manager.

Lime For Sale.

ISLAND LIME FOR SALE IN QUANTITIES to suit

Apply to

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EDAN WHITE. CHARLES PAGDEN.

ORIENTAL RESTAURANT,

YATES STREET,

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BECOME proprietors of the above establishment, solicit the support of their friends and the Public Generally.

Meals 50 cents each.

OR BY THE CARTE.

A First Class French Cook Engaged.

☞ Rooms for Private Parties and Families. ☜

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Diocesan Church Society.

SUBSCRIBERS are respectfully reminded that their annual contributions are now due. The Society aims to assist generally in the maintenance of the Church of England in the Colony; and in consequence of the reduction of the annual grants from the Home Society the extension of local aid is most necessary. Donations and subscriptions will be gladly received by the Very Rev. Dean Cridge, Rev. P. Jeune, and by the Hon'y Treasurer, W. C. Ward, Esq. At New Westminster by the Venerable Archdeacon Woods and by A. T. Bayley, Esq.

Victoria, 24th June, 1871. je26

New Advertisements.

EX CALIFORNIA

AND TO ARRIVE

Per Clara Light from Portland.

OREGON CITY MILLS—Baker's Extra Flour in ½ & ¼ Sacks.
REESE'S STANDARD MILLS—Extra Family Flour in ¼ Sacks.
FRONTIER MILLS—Extra Family Flour in ¼ sacks.
GRAHAM FLOUR in ¼ Sacks.
OREGON OATMEAL in 10lb Bags.
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For Sale in Lots to suit Purchasers by

J. ROBERTSON STEWART.
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RECENT ARRIVALS.

IN BOND OR IN STORE.

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CONGOU,
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ABSINTHE,
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CAL. WHITE WINE,
BOKER'S BITTERS,
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RAISINS in full, half and quarter boxes,
EASTERN & OREGON LARD,
CLEAR LAKE CHEESE,
EASTERN DRIED APPLES,
DYERS, FAY, MOTTLED, & CASTILE SOAP,
CHINA & S. I. RICE,
MACKEREL, LIMA BEANS,
SCOTCH OAT MEAL &c.

C. STROUSS,

je17 Wharf Street.

Wanted

A MAN TO TAKE CHARGE OF A SPAN of Horses and to do general farm Work,

Apply at
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MRS. R. W. TURNER,

Milliner and Dressmaker.

CUTTING & FITTING DONE ON THE MOST REASONABLE TERMS.

Instructions given in Cutting and Fitting Dresses, Skirts, Sacques, Basques, &c., by the newest improved and best diagrams now in use. Ladies wishing to learn the Art would do well to call and see them, by which means they can be taught in a week the work of months.

Special attention paid to Bleaching and pressing Straw Goods. North Park street, near the Catholic Church, Victoria, B. C. je20 1m

FOURTH OF JULY.

SCOTTISH GATHERING.

THE ST. ANDREW'S AND CALEDONIAN Society will hold their

EIGHTH ANNUAL PICNIC

AT THE

CALEDONIAN GROUNDS,

Adjoining JAY & BALE'S NURSERY, Cook Street,

On Tuesday, 4th July, 1871,

A Spacious PLATFORM for Dancing will be erected, and an efficient Quadrille Band will be in attendance during the Day and Evening.

A Series of Athletic Sports and National Games will take place, the programme of which is annexed.

The Committee will spare no exertions this Season to eclipse their hitherto highly successful gatherings.

COMMITTEE.

J. Orr, Esq. A. Rutherford, Esq. T. Russell, Esq. A. B. Gray, Esq. J. Ross, Esq. A. Young, Esq. R. Lemple, Esq. J. Stewart Esq.

JUDGES.

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STARTER.

H. Nathan, Esq., M. L. A.

PROGRAMME.

	PRIZES.
1. Running Hop, Step and Jump, Entrance 25cts.	$2 50
2. Standing Long Jump (without weights) Entrance, 25 cts	5 00
2nd	2 50
3. Running Long Jump; entrance 25 cts	5 00
2nd	2 50
4. Running High Jump; entrance 25 cts	5 00
2nd	2 50
5. Putting Heavy Shot; entrance 25 cts	5 00
6. Putting Light Shot; entrance 25 cts	2 50
7. Tossing the Caber; entrance 25 cts	2 50
8. Throwing the Heavy Hammer; entrance, 50cts	5 00
9. Throwing the Light Hammer, entrance, 25cts.	2 50
10. Foot Race, 300 yds; entrance, 50cts	5 00
2nd	2 50
11. Foot Race, 150 yds; entrance, 25cts	2 50
2nd	1 50
12. Foot Race, 200 yds; for boys under 15 years of age; entrance, 25cts	5 00
2nd	2 50
13. Foot Race, 100 yds, for girls under 12 years; entrance free	3 50
2nd	1 00
14. Foot Race, 1 mile; entrance, 50cts	10 00
2nd	5 00
15. Blind Foot Race, 50 yds; entrance, 25cts	3 00
2nd	1 50
16. Sack Race, 50 yds; entrance, 50cts	5 00
17. Three-Legged Race, 50 yds; entrance, 25cts	2 50
18. Hitch and Kick; entrance, 25cts	2 50
19. Foot Race for men weighing not under 200 lbs. or handicapped, 200 yds; entrance, 25cts	5 00
Dances—Sword Dance, Highland Fling and Hornpipe; entrance 50c; each	2 50

Four competants to enter for each game.

Winners for heavy Shot and Heavy Hammer not allowed to take prizes in the Light, but may compete.

Grand Lottery Prize, for ladies only, which will be drawn at Five o'clock. (Each lady entering the Grounds receives a Lottory Ticket.)

The Grounds will be open at 10 a.m.

An Oration, by an eminent citizen, will be delivered at noon.

The Sports will commence punctually at 1 o'clock.

Refreshment and Liquor Stands will be on the grounds.

ADMISSION—50 cts; children under 12 years, 25 cts.

By Order.

J. H. LAWSON,
je8 Secretary.

HASTINGS SAWMILL CO.,

BURRARD INLET, B. C.

THE ABOVE MILL IS NOW IN FULL working order and capable of filling orders for

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF

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Orders received in Victoria by

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Every Description of

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EXPRESS & STAGE LINE

The Stage of the above line will leave Yale every MONDAY morning, carrying

H. M. MAIL, EXPRESS, FREIGHT & PASSENGERS,

—FOR—

Lytton, Clinton, Soda Creek, Quesnelle and Barkerville.

Gerow & Johnson's Express and Stage Line carries

LETTERS,
TREASURE,
VALUABLES,
EXPRESS FREIGHT, and

PASSENGERS AT REDUCED RATES;—

Collections, Commission, and General Express Business done with Punctuality and dispatch.

☞ Passengers by Stage to Cariboo will require to leave Victoria by Friday's Steamer. ap1

DODGE'S REAPER & MOWER COMBINED,

Kirby's Reaper and Mower Combined,

CLIPPER MOWERS,

Walter A. Wood's MOWERS.

SWEEPSTAKES THRESHER GEARED,

Pitt's Thresher Geared

FOR SALE BY

EDGAR MARVIN.

Victoria B. C., June 5, 1871. je6

For Sale or To Let.

THE COMMODIOUS FAMILY RESIDENCE known as "Ross Bay Cottage" and in the occupation of T. L. Wood, Esq, containing large Dining and Drawing Rooms, Library, Bed Room and Dressing Rooms, with two good Kitchens and Store Closets on the ground floor, six Bed Rooms and three Dressing rooms on the second floor, with useful and capacious out buildings two good wells of water, garden well stocked with bearing fruit trees and just planted for summer crop, the whole embracing about about five acres of Land adjoining the sea shore with excellent road to town.

For particulars apply to

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my25 Government Street, Victoria.

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THE COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS for the Fourth of July have appointed the following:

ON FINANCE.—D. C. H. Rothschild, J. J. Hunt David Sires.

ON MUSIC.—H. L. Tibbals, David Sires, J. J. Hunt.

ON AMUSEMENTS.—E. S. Fowler, David Sires, H. L. Tibbals.

ON SALUTES.—Capt. J. L. Selden, C. L. Hooper, C. H. Blake.

ON REFRESHMENTS.—H. L. Tibbals, J. J. Hunt, David Sires.

ON BALL.—M. S. Drew, J. M. Selden, C. L. Hooper, Fred. Hartung, F. W. Hastings.

D. C. H. ROTHSCHILD,
H. L. TIBBALS,
J. J. HUNT,
E. S. FOWLER,
DAVID SIRES, Committee.

GRAND CELEBRATION

OF THE

FOURTH OF JULY,

At Port Townsend.

At Sunrise—A Salute of 13 guns.
At 8 o'clock A. M.—Canoe Races.
At 9 o'clock—Regattas.
At 10:30—A procession will be formed at the Masonic Hall under the direction of the Chief Marshal, F. W. Pettygrove, assisted by his Aids, A. F. Learned, S. Waterman, A. B. Pettygrove, and will proceed in the following order to a grove on the hill selected and prepared for the purpose;
Band of Music,
School Children under the direction of the Teachers,
Citizens and invited guests generally,
Officers and employes of the U. S. Revenue Service,
Members of the Order of Good Templars,
Members of the Order of Odd Fellows,
Orator of the Day and Reader of the Declaration of Independence,
Poet of the Day,
Members of the Masonic Order,
At 11 o'clock—The procession will leave the Hall for the Grove,
At 12 o'clock—National salute,
Reading the Declaration by G. V. Calhoun,
Oration by Gov. E. S. Saloman,
Poem by Mart Taylor,
At 3 o'clock P. M.—Horse Races,
At 4 o'clock—Foot Races,
At 6 o'clock—Balloon ascensions,
At dark—Fireworks.

To conclude with a Ball, at the Pavilion, built for the occasion, for which S. S. White's Olympia Band of 10 pieces has been engaged.

Committees of Invitation.

Port Townsend—M. S. Drew, O. F. Gerrish, H. L. Tabbals.
Victoria—L. W. Powell, David Eckstein, H. F. Heisterman.
Olympia—Edward S. Saloman, Elwood Evans, S. D. How.
Steilacoom—E. A Light, F. Clark, Stephen Judson,
Seattle—J T Jordon, T S Russel, H A Atkins.
Port Madison—G A Meigs, B B Lombard, I M Guindon.
Port Gamble—Cyrus Walker, C J Noyes, W H Llewellyn
Port Ludlow—A Phinney, G W Harris, R D Attridge.
Port Discovery—C E P Woods, G W Downs, J A Smith.
Whidby Island—G O Haller, J H Swift, R G Hill.
Utsalady—Thomas Cranney, C Chisholm, Thomas Coupe,
New Dungeness—G H Gerrish, J Thornton, W Delanty.

Floor Managers.

H. L. Tibbals,	S. Waterman,
Frank Hastings,	I. W. Powell,
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C. J. Noyes.

☞ Tickets, including supper, $5; to be had at Rothchild & Co's, and at the door. je22

P. McTIERNAN,

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Hay,
Oats,
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Wheat,
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Always on Hand. Farmers produce sold on Commission. 1y

DR. CHONG,

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SURGEON & PHYSICIAN,

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N. B.—Every description of Chinese Medicines For Sale. je23

Steer Found.

STRAYED ON TO MY PREMISES A black steer, about five or six years old, the owner can have the same by proving property and paying the expenses. If not claimed within twenty days the steer will be sold to pay expenses.

ALSO—A Brown Mare strayed onto my premises and if not claimed before twenty days the same will be sold to pay expenses.

JOHN MUIR,
Woodside Farm, Sooke, June 17, 1871. je17 2mdaw

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FREIGHT NOTICE.

THE STEAMER VICTORIA CONNECTS with the steamer ENTERPRISE at Cottonwood Canyon.

FREIGHT from Quesnelle to Upper Canyon, $30 per ton PASSENGERS, $5 each.

For further particulars, apply to

EDGAR MARVIN,
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For Yale and Intermediate Landings on Fraser River.

Steamer Lillooet.

O. PARSONS.....CAPTAIN,

Will leave New Westminster every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY until further notice.

N. B.—The above steamer will not be responsible for leakage of Liquids shipped in Tins or Glass je19

VARIETY STORE

Opposite St. Nicholas Hotel.

W. ANDEAN

WOULD RESPECTFULLY CALL THE ATTENTION of the inhabitants of Victoria and vicinity to his complete assortment of

SECOND HAND GOODS.

He will pay the highest prices for Second-hand Clothing of every description, and parties having such things to dispose of, will find it to their advantage to call on him before going elsewhere.

The following is but a small portion of his Varied Stock:—

Crockery of almost every description,
New and Second-hand Clothing of various styles,
Varied assortment of Hats, Caps, &c., &c.,
Ladies' and Gent's Socks and Stockings in abundance,
A small but choice collection of Engravings,
An immense assortment of Medical and other Books, some of which are by the most eminent authors.

N. B.—Wm. Andean has also 2 Sets Plough Harness, 1 Camera and 1 first class U. S. Officer's Sword, all of which will be sold extremely Low for Cash.

Cabbage Plants for Sale. my22

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See future Advertisements.

The *Alta California*—Mr. Havell is a truly sympathetic singer with a rich Baritone voice, and has that rare gift, the power of drawing tears or creating laughter from his audience at his pleasure. His entertainment a rich treat. je13

Dissolution of Partnership.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE agreed by mutual consent to dissolve the copartnership of Tallor & Co., from this date. The business will hereafter be continued by W. F. Taylor, who will settle all accounts of the late firm. Statements of accounts must be sent in immediately.

WILLIAM F. TAYLOR,
L. W. NICKERSON.
San Juan Island, June 8, 1871. 1mdaw

CRAIGFLOWER SCHOOL!

THE ANNUAL

PICNIC

OF THE

Craigflower School,

Will be held on SATURDAY, July 15th, at the Grounds of the

Gorge Retreat, Victoria Arm.

Tickets $1 each, may be had of the following gentlemen the Managing Committee; Messrs. Porter, Hilliar, J. Stuart, Bailey, Cavert, R. Simple, H. Cogan, Pratt and Dodd.

Particulars will appear shortly.

By Order of the School Board.

je23 MARTIN DODD, Secretary.

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Order of the School Board.
MARTIN DODD, Secretary.

The Daily Standard

Thursday, June 29, 1871.

NOTICE.

THE VICTORIA STANDARD, DAILY AND Weekly, is the Largest Newspaper Published in the Colony, and is printed on the Best Paper, it Pays More for the Latest Telegrams, than any other Journal North of Portland, has the Largest Circulation, and Advertising Patronage. Its advantages to Advertisers and Subscribers are therefore apparent. The Job Printing Office of the STANDARD is replete with every facility for executing Printing in every branch handsomely, and at the lowest rates.

Police Court.

(Before A. F. Pemberton, Esq.)

WEDNESDAY, June 28, 1871.

Ah Hoon, charged with being a rogue and a vagabond, and with having no visible means of support, was sentenced to three months hard labor.

EMIL BOGK.—This man, who arrived with the mails from New Westminster on yesterday morning, is an old pioneer of the colony, although having been absent from it for several years past. He arrived here in '58, was on William creek in its early days; came down and went to the Stickeen in '62, where he remained for three seasons; returned and left the colony. Christmas day last found him at Fort Kamloops, being on his way with a few others from Montana, en route to the Omineca mines. Arrived at Quesnelle in due course; proceeded up the Fraser to Fort George, with his party; took ill and found his way down country again, this time to recruit his health. He gives it as his opinion that the high water of the rivers on the way into Omineca will cause a good deal of hardship and distress to many men, and particularly to a great many who have gone in with but small means in their possession. Eventually, that country will be all right.

FROM THE INTERIOR.—On the night of the 20th inst., the Fraser was at its highest, being several feet higher than any previous season. It was in several places from three to 10 feet above the road; drivers had to swim their teams, and par-buckele their stages across. The Nicomen bridge was raised off the crib work, but finally settled dowe again all right. Anderson bridge came very near going; at Spencer's bridge the water was up to the stringers, but it stood as firm as a rock. On the night of the 20th the water fell nine inches, and the sincere wishes of the community were realized—the bridge was saved.

THE STEAMSHIP RACE.—In connection with this race, we received the following telegram yesterday morning:

SEATTLE, June 28th.

The North Pacific beat the Olympia to Port Townsend four minutes, but the Olympia passed her at Madison Head.

Other telegrams were received in town, some putting the time at two minutes, some at five minutes, etc. Mr. Geo. S. Wright, who would naturally be supposed to favor the Olympia, sent a dispatch that she was beaten by five minutes in the distance to Port Townsend, which is 31 miles from this port.

ROUGH TIMES IN MONTANA.—Advices from Helena, June 9th, report the following.

Frank Kelley was shot and killed by a man named Cassady, alias Walker. Also, on Tenmile creek, near Helena, Thomas Catsworth, Patrick McLaughlin and his son Michael, had a dispute about dividing money. The elder McLaughin took an axe and started for Catswor , who fired a revolver, the ball striking the son, who is not expected to recover. Catsworth fired again, killing Patrick McLaughlin instantly. Catsworth came in this morning and delivered himself up to the Sheriff for trial.

THE UNION.—The following notice appears in the *Gazette* extraordinary of Tuesday last:

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 26th June, 1871.

The 20th of July proximo, being the day appointed for the Union of this Colony with the Dominion of Canada, the same will be observed as a public holiday throughout the the Colony.

By command,
PHILIP J. HANKIN.

MR. BARKER exhibited his Panorama last evening. Machinery worked to perfection, and views were really charming. Mr. Barker will give a Matinee on Friday afternoon for the benefit of ladies and children, at half prices, viz.: 50 cents and 25 cents. The performance will commence at half-past three. Seats can be procured the same day at the box office from 12 to 2 o'clock.

THE WATER-LOGGED VESSEL.—The telegraph, three days ago, announced the arrival of the lumber vessel J. R. Keeler, at San Francisco, from the Sound. The Keeler was the vessel which the Grappler went from this port, to assist. The vessel would appear to have made the passage in six or seven days, although it was feared by some she could not reach San Francisco in safety.

AHEAD OF THE TELEGRAPH.—On Tuesday, we announced news concerning the Wright, and the receding of the water of the Willamette and Columbia rivers, which news we had by mail on Monday. Our "exclusive" dispatches received *since* give the same news; they also announce that the G. S. Wright is advertised for Nanaimo and the North on the 1st July.

A LECTURE.—"Irish Wit and Humor" is a subject for a lecture to be given this evening by Mr. T. G. Murphy, who is popularly known as "Barney O'Ragan." At the Alhambra Hall, at 8 o'clock, we should not be surprised to witness a concourse of persons waiting to hear the speaker, who will conclude with a recitation of the poem "Shemus O'Brien."

THE CROPS.—Barley and wheat in the Cadboro Bay district look well; barley will be ready for the sickle in a few days; the harvesting of wheat will be commenced about the 15th of July; hay has already begun to fall before the scythe. Barley, we are informed, will produce a very heavy crop in this district this year.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise, Capt. Swanson, with a few passengers, left yesterday morning, at 10 o'clock, for the Mainland. Messrs. A. R. Robertson, G. A. Walkem, and F. Grelley were among the passengers.

FURNITURE SALE.—On the premises, Yates street, formerly occupied by J. W. Keyser, Messrs. Davies & Co. will sell to-day, a miscellaneous lot, comprising furniture, crockery, tin-ware, furnishing goods, sewing machines, hair, wool, feathers, &c.

CORONATION DAY.—The Government offices and Banks observed yesterday, the 28th, as a half-holiday; and a few flags which were hoisted, including the City Hall one, were the only signs that indicated the day.

LIGHTNING EXPRESS.—The new Mail and Express carriers, Gerow & Johnson, received the Cariboo mail and express yesterday morning from New Westminster per canoe, not waiting for the usual trip of the Enterprise. The canoe in charge of a white man, Emil Bogh, with four Indians, left New Westminster at 10 o'clock on Tuesday night and arrived yesterday at 10 a. m., at Todd's Bay. Thence overland to town. The party encountered head winds and tides on the trip. But for the enterprising spirit manifested by the mail contractors, we should not have the mail until Saturday by the Enterprise, as she is not expected to reach here before Saturday morning.

REAL ESTATE TAX COMMISSION.—The Commissioners will hold a meeting on Monday next, when it is expected their duties will terminate.

THE Governor and the excursionists are being received with much *eclat* by the people of Puget Sound, whilst on the trip by the North Pacific.

NEXT DIRECT STEAMER.—The steamship Prince Alfred arrived at San Francisco on Tuesday afternoon, and would leave for Victoria in about a week.

DOMINION DAY.—We understand that the storekeepers on Government street do not intend to open their stores on Saturday, the 1st July.

THE California will sail to-day for Victoria, from Portland.

Clinton Petty Sessions Court.

(Before E. H. Saunders, Esq., S. M.)

CLINTON, May 29, 1871.

Edward Kelly v. Joseph Smith.—At 11 o'clock plaintiff and defendant appeared in court. The magistrate, addressing Smith, said, "You are charged with a grevous assault on Edward Kelly, in your hotel, on the 30th April last. What have you to say in your defence?"

Smith—Well, your Worship, I plead guilty.

Magistrate—Have you anything to say in mitigation?

Smith—He called me a liar, and I struck him.

Kelly—I deny the truth of that statement. I never made use of that ungentleman-like expression, though you said to me emphatically, twice, "You're wrong. I tell you you're wrong." Kelly, addressing the magistrate—I prefer having the witness examined on oath. Joe Smith is called "a purty fine man." I'll prove to your Worship that he has had of late, a shooting scrape with his partner; and later still, he has assaulted three persons in his public house. These facts may be worthy of notice by your Worship when the question of granting a license comes before you.

Magistrate—I shall be ready to hear anything you may have to say on that subject on the 1st of June, the day fixed for granting licenses.

Kelly—But I hope your worship will hear the witnesses in the assault case?

Magistrate—Smith pleads guilty.

Kelly—No; he pleads innocent. I deny the truth of the plea in mitigation.

Magistrate, addressing Smith—I regret this occurrence in your house. A man keeping such a house should be very careful indeed, and prevent quarrels; I must fine you ten dollars for the assault, and costs.

Kelly—Ten dollars! Is it possible that Joe Smith may knock a man down and escape with a fine of ten dollars? It was not decisions of that kind that made this colony respectable and Judge Begbie immortal.

Magistrate—If you wish to address the crowd, go outside. I shall commit you for contempt of court.

Kelly—I shall not exhibit any, your Worship; I am doing all I can to conceal it.

And this case, the subject of general conversation in the district, terminated with a ten dollar fine.

Letter from Lightning Creek.

STANLEY, LIGHTNING CREEK, June 1, 1871.

EDITOR STNDARD:—On Monday last a Public Meeting was held here for the purpose of taking into consideration the Civil List Bill. In accordance with a resolution passed thereat, I herewith inclose you a copy of the minutes which I will thank you to publish in your journal. The meeting was ably addressed by Capt. Evans and Mr. Booth, and was an undoubted success.

It may not be out of place to inform you that Stanley is a rising little town situated on Lightning Creek, at the mouth of Chisholm, and should the efforts of the miners here be crowned with success it will most probably be the town of the future.

Minutes of Public Meeting held at Stanley, May 29h, 1871, for the purpose of taking into consideration the Civil List Bill.

The chair was taken by Mr. Duncan Robertson. The first resolution was proposed by Captain John Evans, seconded by Mr. Cornelius Booth, and carried unanimously.

"Resolved, this meeting solemnly protests against the action of our Government in enacting a law to provide a Permanent Civil List in this colony, and further, that the meeting sympathises with their fellow colonists in the manner in which they have already expressed their disapprobation of such an oppressive and illiberal law."

Moved by Mr. Bray and seconded by Mr. Ettershank, that a copy of the above resolution be sent to the STANDARD newspaper for publication.

CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.

☞ Memory presides over the past. Fell's Coffee over the present. The first lives in a rich temple hung with glorious trophies, and lined with tombs, but Fell's Coffee has but one shrine and that is every breakfast table. Its aroma walks the earth like a spirit and can be found for sale at every respectable dealer in British Columbia. Beware of spurious imitations. ly *

A. GILMORE, Merchant Tailor, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel, Government street, four doors from Yates street, where he is prepared to sell, at reduced rates, Custom Made Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods. Also, Garments made to order, according to the Latest Styles. *

R. ROBERTS, Tailor, Government street, Victoria, next door to London House, begs to inform his friends and public of Victoria generally, that he has just received, direct from London, ex "Pacific," a choice selection of beavers, broad cloths, Scotch and English tweeds, fancy silk velvet, figured silk and cassimere vestings, which he is prepared to make to order for the Lowest Cash Prices. *

SPECIAL NOTICE.—D. Green begs to inform his friends and customers, that he has received from New York, via San Francisco, per Greyhound, the latest styles of clothing, of the best quality. *

SCOTCH HOUSE.—A. McLean & Co. are just opening a splendid assortment of Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's Boots, made expressly to their order, which they offer at a small advance on English cost. *

READ! READ!! READ!!!—The best photographs are to be had at Shakespeare's Photographic Studio, Government street, Victoria, next door to the Theatre, first floor. *

By Electric Telegraph.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY STANDARD.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

EUROPE.

BERLIN, July 27—Emperor William has decreed deputation(?) on the present army combination in France, and the formation of all German troops in that country into one body, to be called the army of occupation in France, with Manteuffel as commander.

LONDON, June 27—The striking miners of South Wales now number 9,000. There seems to be no prospect of a settlement of the difficulty with the companies.

A subterranean fire is known to be raging in Sheffield, and fears are entertained that it is an old colliery which extends to the very centre of the city.

FLORENCE, June 27—The King will not go to Rome on the 1st of July, nor will the promised transfer of the capital occur at that date. October 1st is now named as the earliest date for the transfer. In diplomatic circles it is believed the transfer will never be made.

CANADA.

HALIFAX, June 25—Delegates on the Washington Treaty will meet in Nova Scotia soon after returning from Prince Edward Island. It is expected a full council will be obtained.

EASTERN STATES.

BRUNSWICK, Maine, June 27—An express train from Boston was thrown from the track near Frankfort yesterday; four passenger and two baggage cars were demolished; the baggage man and brakesman were killed; no passengers injured.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27—The new affidavits presented by Mrs. Fair's counsel to-day, cover essentially the same ground as those already passed upon, mainly attacking the competency of the jurors Beach and Little.

The friends of Booth assert this evening that they have positive information that 170 of the Delegates will support him in the State Convention in any event, and that his nomination is certain. The general impression here is that he is sure of the nomination.

A number of emigrants to the Lower California Co.'s colony, at Magdalena Bay, reached here yesterday in a destitute condition. Nearly all of them have been provided with employment by the Labor Exchange. Some will be sent to the Russian-river lumber mills, others to various parts of the State.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 28—Weather very warm and fine.

Henry Weimer, shot at the christening, by Thos. Farren, on Sunday, died at 4 a. m. today. His dying declaration was taken by Coroner Letteman, in presence of Farren, last night.

Capt. George S. Porter, a resident of San Francisco since 1849, and formerly port warden, died at Alameda yesterday.

Coming in—steamer Orizaba, San Diego.

The rumor that the Hale & Norcross mine will to-morrow levy an assessment of $10 per share, has a depressing effect on stocks generally, and the feeling on the streets is not one of confidence in the permanency of present values.

Complaint has been made that the game law is constantly violated, and quail are being killed and brought into the city by pot hunters every day.

Dr. Rogers, who was severely injured by being thrown from his buggy when going to the aid of Dr. Barstow, who had shot himself, is reported better, and likely to recover.

OREGON.

PORTLAND, June 28—A dispatch from Horace Greely, declining to give the address at the State Fair this year, has been received.

The steamers J. L. Stephens and Constantine left for San Francisco early this a. m. The propeller California has been postponed till to-morrow.

Arrived—Bark Edward James, from Hong-Kong.

The Wright is advertised to sail for Sitka on Saturday, July 1st, and the Oriflamme for San Francisco, on Wednesday, July 5th.

The contract for grading the first 20 miles of the Oregon Central Railroad, west side, has been let to Messrs. M. Short & Co.

A Chinese house in Taylor street caught fire, about 7 o'clock, a. m., yesterday, but was extinguished before the engines arrived.

Business is brisk, and building is going on in many parts of the city.

The river has been steadily going down for some days, and is now three feet below the highest point reached last week.

Weather clear and hot.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

SEATTLE, June 28—On the arrival of the steamer North Pacific, last night, Governor Musgrave and party were received by a salute. The band was on the wharf, and several guns were fired. The crowd gave three cheers, which were answered by the passengers on the steamer.

MEXICO.

CITY OF MEXICO, June 11—via Havana, June 17.—Congress has adjourned. It is reported that an extra cession was called.

Manual Payno declines the Ambassadorship to Washington.

An American journal, to defend the interests of New York capitalists, is to be established at the Capital.

Great agitation exists all over the Republic in consequence of the coming election. Local authorities of each party commit outrages on the other. Robberies and assassinations are plentiful.

The City Council of the Capital, installed a month ago by Congress, was expelled on the 10th inst. by the administration, much excitement in consequence.

The press of the Capital is severe in strictures on the New York *Herald* and *Times* for alleged hostility to Mexico, and calls on the people to repel invasion of the Yankees.

The new Consul appointed for San Francisco remains in Mexico until after the election. The appointment of a Minister to Washington will also be made after the election. Mariscan's appointment as Minister of Foreign Affairs is well received.

A general revolution is imminent. The Congressional Committee held a meeting and decided to give the President one day to reinstate the ousted Board of Councilmen. The Committee also appointed a sub-Committee to draw up an address.

Primary elections for members of Congress were held to-day. Both parties are acknowledged to be dishonest and devoid of patriotism.

Juarez distributed the army to the utmost extent in districts where opposition prevails, to aid in carrying the elections and repress revolutionary movements.

Government has defeated the Querretero insurgents.

General Beningo Canto has been sentenced to death for murder.

A colony of 1,000 Alsatians is expected to be established in the vicinity of the Capital.

THAT original cheap and Easy Shaving Shop at Fred Payne's, on the sunny side of Johnson Street. *

MR. W. ANDEAN, of Government street, has a large quantity of cabbage and cauliflower plants for sale. *

A GOOD Tanner can get constant employment by applying to Dalby & Wilson, Government street. *

General Dispatches.

DUBLIN, June 19—A gang of men, supposed to be Fenians, broke into the militia armoury at Mallow, on Saturday night, and carried off one hundred and twenty rifles. The sentinel fired upon the men as they were leaving, but all escaped. Some of them were discovered this morning in a neighboring field. Five persons have been arrested on suspicion.

WASHINGTON, June 21—It is stated that Thornton, the British Minister, is instructed by his Government not to leave Washington until further particulars of the Corean difficulty are received. Baron Gerolt received similar instructions.

In accordance with a recommendation by Gen. Sherman, an order has been issued withholding supplies from all Indians in Texas and New Mexico actually on reservations. Officers are to be allowed to follow Indians on reservations, and make arrests, and all Indians guilty of murder or robbery are ordered to be turned over to the Government for trial.

ROME, June 16—Pope Pius IX celebrated the day by receptions at the Vatican. Visitors followed in constant succession from morning till night. It is thought that three thousand pilgrims, from all parts of the world, are in the city. The reception of diplomatic bodies will be held on the 17th, 18th and 21st.

PARIS, June 19—Rossel's father and mother implore Thiers to liberate him. The press continues to attack the Bonapartists. The *Figaro* and *Siecle* urge Republican union against the Prussians, the real enemy, forever cursed.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 19—A meeting of the creditors of the Vulcan Iron Works has been held to-day to endeavor to agree upon some arrangements by which the concern can be taken out of bankruptcy and allowed to resume business. Such an arrangement was ultimately effected and a board of Trustees elected for confirmation by the Court.

Edward Tompkins of Oakland, brother-in-law of Governor Haight, was invited to deliver the oration on the Fourth in this city.

Seven murderers, all of whom have been tried and committed for trial, are now in the County Jail, viz., Laura D. Fair, Mary Jacoby, Ike Brokaw, Simon M. Cohen, Matthew Harrington, Ah Lee and Quong Ching. There are 300 prisoners in jail, including 46 Chinamen, and 50 are known as old professional thieves.

A fur seal, a sea dog, a barking seal, and a sea lion weighing 1,200 lbs have been received here from Santa Barbara, and installed at Woodward's Gardens

PANIC IN RAILROAD STOCKS.

NEW YORK, June 21—Wall street was the scene of wild excitement this morning. The occasion was a tremendous break in the price of Rock Island shares, followed by panic. Rock Island opened at 130¼ and advanced to 130½. There was a sharp demand for cash stock. Everything indicated a corner. In fact at the close last night all arrangements for a corner had been effected, but this morning it began to be whispered that there had been cheating in the pool, and stock began to break. This was followed by an enormous pressure to sell, which carried stock down from 130½ to 110. Afterward there was a rally to 112 and transactious were enormous, the telegraph instruments recording that 117,000 had changed hands, but this does not cover all transactions. In explanation of affairs it appears that there was a pool in stock, limited to 60,000 shares and that this pool had bought 10,000 shares. At this juncture a prominent speculator and member of the pool was operating largely outside. This individual sold about 50,000 shares of stock, and also bought on his own account over 180,000 shares. This is the current report. He was unable to-day to take his former purchases of Rock Island and was forced to suspend, carrying down with him a number of brokers. Fourteen have been reported as failed, but some will settle differences and resume. Following is a list of brokers who were either reported failed at board or had stock sold for their account by the presiding officers: Robt. Waller, W. A. Boward, J. W. Gillespie, J. A. Austin, Dater & Thompson, R. G. Wood, N. E. Tunis, Earl & Saltontell, Fanshaw & McDougall, J. J. Hoat, A. M. Judson and W. S. Woodward. Large amounts of stock were sold out under rule for other accounts.

Grit Inconsistency.

[From the Ottawa Times.]

The press and people of British Columbia have not yet recovered from the surprise which they naturally felt, on finding that the leading men and leading journals of the Opposition in Ontario after having expressed their desire for the extension of the boundaries of the Dominion to the Pacific Shore, and after having pointed out in a forcible manner the immediate necessity of a Pacific Railway, should have laboured with so much energy and determination to prevent the carrying out of these schemes. Still more will they be surprised when they find that these same journals and politicians, ignoring their late opposition in the coolest manner possible, are returning to their first love without a word of explanation. Our friends in British Columbia have something to learn. They have yet to become acquainted with that extraordinary specimen of political inconsistency, an Ontario Grit, and to learn with what marvellous effrontery and unblushing assurance, a politician of that school is prepared to contradict to-day what he said yesterday, or to denounce as "imbecile" a project which only a few weeks before they had declared to be an absolute necessity of our position. Inconsistent and unprincipled politicians no doubt exist everywhere, but we question whether anything so obviously unprincipled or inconsistent was ever witnessed in the history of political warfare as the position assumed by the Ontario Opposition in respect to the admission of British Columbia and the construction of the Pacific Railway. No wonder, as we said before, that the people of British Columbia are astonished thereat, but we can assure them that the Grits are equal to anything in the line of political trickery. The matter has been fully ventilated here, and is pretty generally understood; and the lesson which the people are being taught thereby is, that a Grit is so thoroughly the slave of party and personal ambition as to be utterly unworthy of public confidence.

A. RICKMAN
IMPORTER
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BEGS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT he has opened the spacious store, corner of
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opposite the Mechanic's Literary Institute, with a select and first class stock of
Groceries and Provisions,
Which he offers for Sale
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
At most reasonable prices.

Thanking the public for the liberal patronage bestowed upon me as partner of the late firm of Willson & Rickman, I also hope to enjoy a share of the same for the future.
☞ All goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge.
je24 A. RICKMAN.

FOR SALE.
THE MACHINERY OF THE FLOUR Mill, which Mill has produced as good flour as any on the coast.
For Particulars apply at
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PLUMMER & PAGDEN,
AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS,
ACCOUNTANTS
AND
COMMISSION AGENTS,
Wharf Street, Victoria.

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf street, opposite the foot Yates street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by promptness and attention, they hope to receive a share of the public support. Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased or Cash.
Liberal Advances made on Consignments
Books kept or Audited, Balance Sheets made out, Statements Prepared and a general Accountants Business confidentially transacted. madtf

TO-MORROW
AUCTION

SALE OF
HOUSEHOLD
Furniture,
BILLIARD TABLE
Bar Fixings, etc.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN
Are instructed by Mr. William Selleck to sell on the premises at the Steamboat Exchange Hotel, Esquimalt.
Friday, June 30th,
AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.
the whole of his
Household Furniture
AND OTHER EFFECTS, Comprising:
A full sized Phelan's Pocket Billiard Table in splendid order, with Cues, Pool Balls, etc, complete.
Handsome Bar Counter and Fittings.
Colored and other Engravings, Mirrors, Glassware, Crockery, Tables, Bedsteads and Bedding, Chairs, Horsehair Sofas, Couches, Kitchen and Parlor Stoves.
Blocks, Rope, Carpenters' Tools, Fairbank's Platform Scale, &c.
ALSO
Stock of Wines, Liquors, & c.
ALSO
After the above, under a bill of Sale, the following goods and effects, namely:
One first class Pile Driver,
One good Lighter,
One Truck,
One Wheelbarrow and a quantity of Lumber, now or lately on the wharf known as Selleck's, at Esquimalt.
TERMS CASH.
☞ Goods to be paid for and removed immediately after the sale.
PLUMMER & PAGDEN,
je26 Auctioneers.

HURRAH FOR
DOMINION DAY!
THE ANNUAL
PARADE & PICNIC
OF THE
Victoria Fire Department,
Will take place on
Dominion Day, July 1st., at
MEDINA'S GROVE!

A SPACIOUS PLATFORM will be erected, and an Efficient Quadrill Band will be in attendance during the day and evening.
As usual, ATHLETIC SPORTS and Games will form a part of the amusements.
The following named gentlemen have been appointed a general Committee:—
Mr. John Dickson, President of the V.F.D; Mr Simeon Duck, Chief Engineer V. F. D.; Mr F.G. Richards, Assistant Engineer V. F. D.; Mr. Charles E. Bunting, Foreman Union Hook & Ladder Co. No. 1; Mr. John Vaughan, First Assistant U. H. & L.; Mr. Huxtable, Second Assistant U. H. & L.; Mr. John Crowther, Forman Deluge Engine Co. No. 1; Mr Frank Saunders First Assistant Deluge Engine Co; Mr William Harrison, Second Assistant Deluge Co.; James Orr, Foreman Tiger Engine Co. No. 2.; Elijah Simpson, First Assistant Tiger Engine Co.; Charles Lumbard, Second Assistant Tiger Engine Co. of whom Tickets may be had.
Tickets, - - $1 each.
Ladies, and Children under twelve years of age free.
Every exertion will be made by the Committee to make this the greatest picnic of the season. jel0

LIST OF GAMES.

1.	Standing long jump; ent. 25c	$ 2 50
2.	Running long jump; ent. 25c	2 50
3.	Standing high jump; ent. 25c	2 50
4.	Running high jump without weights; ent. 50c	5 00
5.	Hop, step and jump; ent. 25c	2 50
6.	Putting heavy shot; ent. 25c	2 50
7.	Throwing heavy hammer; ent. 25c	2 50
8.	Foot race 100 yards; ent. 50c	5 00
	2nd	1 50
9.	Foot race 200 yards; ent. 50c	10 00
	2nd	2 50
10.	Fireman's race, distance 150 yds; free	5 00
	2nd	1 50
11.	Foot race for boys under 15 years, 75yds; ent. 25	2 50
	2nd	1 00
12.	Three leged race, 100 yds; ent. 25c	2 50
13.	Foot race for girls under 12 years, 75 yds; free	2 00
	2nd	1 00
	3rd	50
14.	Sack race, 75 yds, ent. 25c	2 50
15.	Catching pig by greasey tail, no catchey no havey	PIG

P. S.—Four to enter or no race.
Game Committee: F. SAUNDERS, E. SIMPSON, J. VAUGHAN. je20

PIPIFAX.
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Auction Sale.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.
AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
Salesrooms Fireproof Stone Building,
WHARF STREET near YATES.
(Liberal Advances made on Consignments)
To Facilitate the Sale of REAL ESTATE we have complete MAPS of Victoria Esquimalt, New Westminster and the Districts;
WE CALL PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO THE facilities of Our Cattle Sale Yard, Centrally Located on Fort Street. The best accommodations can be found for every class of Stock that may be offered for sale. This Establishment is unsurpassed on the Pacific Coast.
N. B. Parties desirous of Selling their Stock, Stock in Trade or Furniture, and not wishing the trouble of an Auction Sale can find a Cash Buyer by applying as above ly

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J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
WILL SELL BY
PUBLIC AUCTION
By Order of Court,
For account of whom it may concern.
On the Premises formerly occupied by Mr. J. W. KEYSER, next to Crowther's Paint Shop, Yates street,
Thursday, 29th June
AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.
A General Assortment of
FURNITURE, TINWARE,
CROCKERY,
SEWING MACHINES,
Hair, Wool, Pulu, Feathers, Tow, Hardware,
House Furnishing Goods,
Etc., Etc., Etc, Etc.,
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FLANNELS,
CRIMEAN & BALTIC SHIRTS,
HOSIERY & UNDERCLOTHING,
LINEN GOODS,
CARPETS,
BOOTS & SHOES,
TABLE OIL BAIZE,
OILMAN'S STORES,
ENGLISH SOAP,
LIVERPOOL COARSE SALT,
WHITE LEAD & PAINT,
BOILED LINSEED OIL,
HOOP & SHEET IRON,
TIN PLATE,
WINDOW GLASS,
WALL PAPER,
WINES & SPIRITS,
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THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY,
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ANNUAL REPORT 1871.

THE FORTY-FIFTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY was held at Edinburgh, on Thursday the 20th April, 1871—

H. MAXWELL INGLIS, ESQ., P. C. S. in the Chair

The Manager submitted to the meeting the ANNUAL REPORT by the Directors as to the Progress of the Business. He also submitted—

The ANNUAL REPORT on the Books and Accounts by the Auditor of the Company, certifying that he had found the whole accounts accurately stated and properly vouched.

BALANCE SHEET of the Company's Affairs, certified by the Auditor and three of the Directors, in accordance with the Acts of Parliament constituting the company.

A GENERAL AND COMPARATIVE STATEMENT explanatory of the Progress of the Business from 1825 to 1870.

The following Results were communicated in the Report:—

AMOUNT PROPOSED FOR ASSURANCE during the year 1870 (2,383 proposals)	£1,498,689 3 10
AMOUNT OF ASSURANCE ACCEPTED during the year 1870 (1,936 Policies)	£1,181,699 3 10
ANNUAL PREMIUMS on New Policies	£42,725 14 8
CLAIMS BY DEATH during the year, exclusive of Bonus Additions	£333,605 16 4
THE SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 15th November, 1870, amounted to (Of which £670,269 1s. was re-assured with other offices)	£16,691,088 19 2
THE ACCUMULATED FUNDS amounted to upwards of	£4,000,000 0 0
THE ANNUAL REVENUE was upwards of	£700,000 0 0

THE CHAIRMAN requested particular attention to the Report submitted by the Directors, which was then read and from which the following is an extract;

"On the present occasion the Board of Directors have not only to give an account of their proceedings during the first financial year of the Company's progress, but during the quinquennial period which closed on the 15th November, 1870.

"The Directors have now much satisfaction in reporting that each year of the quinquennial period has been attended by that steady and satisfactory progress which has for so long a period marked the operations of the Company They did indeed at one time, contemplate that their advancement might be checked; First, by the monetary disturbances in 1866, and latterly, by the financial difficulties of various English Assurance Offices, which had given rise to distrust and doubt; but it will be observed from the following table, showing the business transacted during the five years that the Company has pursued the calm and even tenor of its way without being in any degree affected by these disturbing elements.

NEW ASSURANCES EFFECTED from 15th November, 1865 to 15th November, 1870:—

"To 15th November, 1866	£1,190,281 11	2
" " 1867	1,127,520 10	0
" " 1868	1,104,264 19	6
" " 1869	1,110,347 2	9
" " 1870	1,181,399 3	10
Total in Five Years	£5,713,813 7	3

Giving an annual average of new business during the period of £1,142,762 15s. 5d. the first and last years of the period being above the average.

"While the Directors direct attention to these results, as indicative of the industry with which the business has been pursued, they would also claim credit for the exercise of a sound discretion in the selection of lives, the proposals made to the company during the period referred to, and from which these assurances were selected, amounting to no less than £7,141,170 16s. 5d. contained in 11,221 proposals, of which 9,190 were accepted, represented by the total of £5,713,813 7s. 3d. shown above.

"The company has thus, it must be admitted, been eminently successful in obtaining new business, evincing the esteem in which it is held by the public; but a Report of this nature would be very incomplete were prominence not given to the Exits as well as the entrances, Death has claimed its usual percentage of the living and the company has fulfilled the object of its institution by meeting with promptness the claims which were thus made upon its funds.

"The Deaths during the quinquennial period gave rise to the following claims:—

Claims.	Sums Assured.	Bonus Additions.
1866	£314,376 3 10	£48,693 4 8
1867	306,561 13 6	46,190 13 0
1868	315,070 15 6	46,899 17 1
1869	322,117 11 8	36,649 10 10
1870	353,605 16 4	42,343 16 1
	£1,591,732 0 10	£220,476 1 8

"In transacting all this business, the Directors have to the best of their ability, discharged the responsible duties devolved on them. It can well be imagined that in the acquisition of so much new business, in the dealings with so many accumulated transactions and in the settlement of such a large amount of claims, questions of importance requiring the exercise of care, judgement, discretion and liberality, have presented themselves and probably the best gauge of the success which has attended the management in these respects is that so little had been heard of the Company as it pursued its way. The Directors may at any other time refer to the advanced position which this Company has always taken up in liberalizing the conditions of the Assurance Contract which has greatly facilitated all these proceedings, but at present they will confine themselves to the simple duty of reporting progress.

"The Directors have only further on this occasion to refer to the Investigation with reference to the Eighth Division of Profits now in progress. They are happy to state that the laborious calculations necessary to ascertain the Company's position have very nearly been completed, but the results have not been placed before them by the Actuary, so that they can make no statement on the subject, but they are glad to have it in their power to state that a few weeks hence the whole will be reported in the most complete manner. These remarks apply to the actuarial results which show the liabilities of the Company. The investigation of the other side of the account, namely: the Assets, has already been completed and a most satisfactory Report made by a Comimittee of Directors who have examined each security and each document constituting it.

The Chairman then addressed the meeting in congratulatory terms on the position of the Company.

The Report was unanimously approved of; and after the election of new Directors and a vote of thanks to the Office-Bearers, the meeting separated.

BY ORDER OF THE DIRECTORS.

WILL. THOS. THOMSON, Manager,
D. CLUNIE GREGOR, Secretary.

GOVERNOR—HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.

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Real Estate Tax Commission.

PUBLIC NOTICE

THE COMMISSIONERS ARE READY TO hear appeals against arrears of Taxes due to the Government for the years 1864-65 and 1865-66 as well in respect of country land as of town lots.

The sittings will terminate on or about the 15th June next.

By order.
CHARLES G. WYLLY, Secretary.
Land Registry Office, Victoria, May 31. je1 1m

Re Estate of John Wilkie.
Notice.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ABOVE Estate, must be sent in to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of July next, to whom also all debts are requested to be paid.

W. B. WILSON,
Administrator.
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Saanich District School Tax for 1871.

ALL PERSONS RESIDING IN THE DISTRICT of Saanich, liable for the above Tax are hereby warned not to pay the Tax to any person except the undersigned, who is alone authorized to receive it by the Saanich Local School Board.

G. S. BUTLER,
Secretary to Local Board.
S. Saanich, C., April 28, 1871. my28

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1871.

Extract from the Report of the Special Committee ON

MARTINI-HENRY BREECH-LOADING RIFLE.

Presented to Both Houses of Parliament by Command of Her Majesty.

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GUNPOWDER.

"The powder first tried by the Committee in the Boxer-Henry cartridge, and of which they entirely approve, is known as 'Curtis and Harvey, No. 6.' Several other descriptions manufactured at the Government Factory, Waltham Abbey, have also been tried, but have not afforded the same uniform accuracy of shooting.

There appear to be difficulties, confined, it is believed, to the question of expense, in producing a powder at Waltham Abbey, in all respects equal to 'Curtis and Harvey, No. 6;' but the Committee, keeping in view the importance of maintaining the great accuracy of shooting of the Martini-Henry rifle, recommend that no powder should be used for its ammunition that does not give results at least equal to those obtained in the Committee's experiments, whether such powder be obtained from the Government Factory or from the trade."*

* Messrs. Curtis and Harvey's powder was employed by Mr. Henry during the competition for accuracy of shooting and as the results then attained were satisfactory, the Committee have, without making trial of the powder of other manufacturers, continued its use as a standard.

CURTIS'S & HARVEY take this opportunity of sending an Extract from the Report of the Special Committee on the most suitable Rifles for the Service; and as THEIR GUNPOWDER is so highly commended, they think it desirable to communicate the information to their Customers and Friends. The recommendation equally applies to all other marks and descriptions.

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EDWARD WILLSON.
Victoria, B. C., 10th May, 1871. my12

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EUGENE BOULET,
Victoria, May 23, 1871. Administrator. my24

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Complaints will be heard in the order in which they are set down by the Secretary, and those in the Victoria Town list will be first taken.

By order of the Board.
CHAS. G. WYLLY, Secretary.
Victoria, May 4th, 1871.

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